

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Kaichang Li

**Application No.:** 10/586,623

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**For:** FORMALDEHYDE-FREE ADHESIVES  
AND LIGNOCELLULOSIC COMPOSITES  
MADE FROM THE ADHESIVES

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This responds to the Office action mailed April 2, 2009. Applicant requests a three-month extension making the response due by October 2, 2009. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 9.